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FOR: MIXTURES OF VARIOUS TRIBLOCK

POLYESTER POLYETHYLENE GLYCOL

COPOLYMERS HAVING IMPROVED GEL

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Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action, mailed April 11, 2006, the Applicant offers the following remarks and requests reconsideration of the above-captioned application.